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VIA ECF

Honorable Michael A. Shipp United States District Judge Clarkson S. Fisher Building & U.S. Courthouse 402 East State Street Trenton, NJ 08608

> RE: <u>United States v. Eric Hafner</u> Crim. No. 19-790 (MAS)

Request to Withdraw & for Appointment of New Counsel

Dear Judge Shipp:

As the Court is aware, I was appointed less than a week ago, on August 16, 2022, to represent Mr. Hafner in the above-referenced matter.

I write to respectfully request permission to withdraw as counsel for Mr. Hafner and for the appointment of new counsel for him. Thank you for your time and thought devoted to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Tim Anderson, Esq.

cc: AUSA Ian D. Brater (via ECF) AUSA R. Joseph Gribko (via ECF) Eric Hafner (via U.S. Mail)